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[Despatch Abstract.]

SCHOOLS - Conversion of the Government Middle School of Mettr into a High School - Approved.

Back Papers.

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ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

From
The General Superintendent,
Operating Systems,
Chepauk, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department,
M A D R A S.

No. 581 A/45-2 dated 7th June, 1945

S i r,

Sub: EDUCATION -- Mettur Township area -- conversion
of the existing Higher Elementary school into a
High School.

Ref: My letter No. 581 A/45-1 dated 22nd March, 1945.

I invite a reference to my letter referred to above and
request the favour of early orders of Government sanctioning
the conversion of the Higher Elementary School at Mettur into
a High School.

TGK

For GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT O.S

2. *15/6/45* T.M. No. 2930 F/45-1

P.W.D.
dated 13/6/45 (P.C. only)

15/6/45
From the Asst. Secy. P.W.D.

To. The Genl. Superintendent
Operating Systems
Chepauk.

Education - M.T. area - Conversion of the existing Higher
Elementary School into a High School. Ref. your letter No.
581/A.45-2 dated 7-6-45 please.

(No. 581/A.45-1) 7.6.45

Please send a copy of your letter referred to
in your letter cited above as it does not appear to
have been received here.

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Ed R. Henry*
copy by post

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13/6/45*

3. *3*
POST COPY OF TELEPHONIC MESSAGE.

From The General Superintendent, Operating Systems, Chepauk, Madras.
To the Assistant Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras.

No. 581-A/45-3 dated 16-6-45.

Sub: Education - Mettur Township area - Conversion of
the existing Higher Elementary School into a High School.
Ref: Post copy of T.M. No. 2930-F/45-1 dated 13.6.45 p2 ante

15-10-45
A copy of my letter No. 581-A/45-1 dated 22.3.45 is
sent herewith.

RSN

Enc:

Copy of letter dated
22.3.45 & its encls.

for General Superintendent, O.S.
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ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

From The General Superintendent,
Operating Systems, Chempauk, Madras.
To The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department, Madras.

No. 581-A/45-1 dated 22nd March 1945.

S i r,

Sub: Education - Mettur Township area -
Conversion of the existing Higher
Elementary School into a High School.

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117-101/6
I forward herewith a copy of letter No. 5225 dated 18.2.45 from the Superintending Engineer, Mettur Electricity System together with a memorial from the Public of Mettur Township area for the conversion of the existing higher Elementary School at the place into a High School.

I strongly endorse the memorial of the public and the recommendations of the Superintending Engineer, Mettur Electricity System thereon.

With the growth of this departments officers at the place and the location of the office of Executive Engineer, Public Works Department and other offices Mettur has become a large Government colony with many educated middle class families. The establishment of three big industries at the place like the Mettur Industries, Mettur Chemicals and the Mettur Metallurgical Corporation has also added considerably to the number of educated middle class employees there. The children of the educated employees aspire for and actually require higher education leading up to at least S.S.L.C. examination and there are at present no facilities for it

it at the place. The nearest high schools are at Bhavani (27 miles off) and Salem (32 miles). Hence under the present circumstances the employees of the department have to provide for the high school education of their children at far off places and incur additional expenditure for their boarding and lodging. With the present increased cost of living it is not found possible for them to meet their daily necessities at Mettur and also to provide for the education of their boys and girls outside.

The Government having been responsible for the location of these offices at such an isolated place as Mettur I consider that it is only fair for the Government to provide facilities for the education of the boys and girls of its employees at that isolated place. As Mettur Township area is predominantly a Government colony other private bodies or the District Board cannot be expected to arrange for High School education at the place.

I therefore request that Government may be pleased to order the conversion of the Higher Elementary School into a High School from the next School year i.e. from June 1945. Fourth form may be opened initially in June 45 and the V and VI forms may be introduced from June 1946 and June 1947 respectively. ^

Copy of letter No. R.5 225 dated 18th Feb. 1945 from the S.E.M. To the G.S.O.S. Madras.

Sub: Government Training School, Mettur - Conversion of Higher Elementary School, into a Middle School.

I have the honour to forward herewith copy of a Memorial submitted to the Director of Public Instruction Madras in March 1944 together with a copy of the reply received from the Director of Public Instruction by the Chief Accountant (one of the signatories). I am also enclosing a copy of another letter forwarded to the Director of Public Instructions dated 16-2-45.

The original object in requesting the Director of Public Instructions to convert the Higher Elementary school into Middle School was with a view to the eventual introduction of six higher forms in the school. It is understood that with the recent modification of the syllabus of the Higher Elementary Education Scheme, the successful completion of the 8th standard with English as an optional will enable a student to be admitted to the fourth form in any High School. But there are certain disadvantages in this new rule. If a student leaves the course in the middle of a term it will not be possible for him to obtain admission in any of the places except in an Higher Elementary school. This will adversely affect the educational advancement of the children of the Government servants who are liable to frequent transfers. On this score and also to give the children of officials and of the middle classes an education suited to their requirements, the higher standards may be converted into forms.

In memorialising the Director of Public Instructions, in March 1944 we hoped that our request would be granted with the commencement of the last school year so that it would have been possible to gradually raise the middle school with the addition of higher forms from year to year into a full fledged high school. Now one year has elapsed and apparently the matter is still under the consideration of Government.

The delay in providing this urgent necessity at Mettur Dam makes senior officers with children to educate, unwilling to stay at Mettur Dam. These who stay have to make provision for running separate establishment in cities which are now crowded and wherein accommodation is difficult to secure.

not to mention of the difficulties in procuring ration.

I would therefore request you to use your good offices with the Government so that the school is converted into a middle school and as a fourth form class is opened during 1945 itself with a view to absorb the students who may pass out of the school in the school year 1944-45.

the Memorial of the Public of the Mettur Township area to the Director of Instructions, Madras.

The Public of the Mettur Township area, desire to place the following before you for favour of your kind consideration and early action. The Population of Mettur has considerably increased since the Government Training school was first started here in 1935 with a model section having the first five standards of an Elementary School. In 1941, Government sanctioned the opinion of the Higher Elementary standards in the school probably with the object of meeting the growing needs and educational demands of the rural population.

With the growing of the Hydro Electric Department and the with the adjoining two industries viz., the Mettur Chemicals and the Mettur Industries, population of the Mettur Township has been on continual increase. To add to this another industry the Mettur Metallurgical corporation is being started. Mettur is already an official colony and with the expansion of the Electricity Department and the growth of the industries the character of the population has become largely urban. Consequently the children of the officials and of the middle class population require an education suited to their outlook and character.

The absence of a high school at Mettur is very keenly felt by the public. The nearest high school is either at Bhavani 27 miles off or at Salem 32 miles off. Since there are no facilities at Mettur for educating their children, the official and middle class population are constrained to send their children to places where higher educational facilities are available. This is great hardship to the middle class who cannot afford to maintain a double establishment especially in these days.

As stated already Mettur is predominantly an official colony Government as an employer is normally bound to provide educational facilities in the same as any other large employer of labour. This the Government can easily do at no great expense to itself by converting the Higher Elementary Section in the Government training School into a Middle School. By doing so it is believed that the Government will be simply altering the status of the school without incurring much extra expenditure. The residents of the township will feel grateful to Government for providing this much needed amenity in this place.

In conclusion, we request you sir, to give your earnest and sympathetic consideration to this matter and raise the status of the Higher Elementary section to that of a Middle School with effect from the beginning of the next academic year, so that the Government Training School may serve the educational needs of the masses as well as the classes.

Copy of proceedings of the Director of Public Instructions, Madras R.C.NO. 234/44 dated 9-2-45 to Sri P.R.Venkatagubramanian C.A. M.E.S.

Sub:- Government Training School, Mettur - Conversion of Higher Elementary School into a middle school.

Read:- Letter dated 1-2-45 from Sri P.R.Venkatasubramanian, Mettur.

Sri P.R.Venkatasubramanian is informed that the question is under the consideration of the Government and that their orders are awaited.

Copy of petition dated 14th Feb. 1945 from the public of Mettur to the Director of public instructions, Madras.

Sub:- Government Training School, Mettur - Conversion of Higher Elementary School into a middle school.

In our memorial dated 9th March 1944 we had requested for the conversion of of the existing Higher Elementary school into a middle school and in your proceedings No. R.C. 234 A/44 dated 9-2-45 you have stated that it is under the consideration of Government.

When the memorialised we thought that it would be materialised even in June 1944 and it would automatically have the Fourth Form from June 1945. We donot know the intention of Government but still considering the present cost of living the Govt. will be pleased to order the opening of the Fourth Form also here. This will lead to the gradual opening of a full blown Higher school by June 1947. We would like to be assured on this point so that we need not make arrangements for the education of our children outside.

P.W.D.

E.F.H. U.O.

4.7.45

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P.W.D. U.O.
29.30.45-2.
6.7.45

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[Cm. 31119 B/45]

From the Spl. Supt., Operating Systems, No. 581 B/45-1 of 22.3.45

Schools - Govt. Middle School, Mettur - Conversion into a high school
Memo No. 31119-B/45-1 Edn. dated 16.7.45.

The Govt. have already passed orders sanctioning the conversion of the model school attached to the training school, Mettur into a middle school. The addn. of high school informs involves a question of policy. The letter read above is referred to the D.P.D. for remarks in the first instance.

To
The D.P.D. (with
of in off. to be sub.
with ref.)

13.7.45

Copy to the Spl. Supt.,
Operating Systems,
Chennai

Note Pl. see note at P/3 NF, regarding Govt's policy in the matter of Secy. Edn

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The provision of the middle school itself was as the
 spl. grounds mentioned there. The opening of High
 school classes stands on a different footing and
 that was apparently the reason why the Director
 limited his previous proposal to the III Form stage.
 This his remarks may now be specifically invited.
 Draft overleaf for approval.

13.7.45- S by 14/7 ms

R.C.No. 234-A/44

27 SEP 1945

Office of the
 Director of Public Instruction,
 Madras, Dated 26-9-1945.

24 SEP 1945

From
 Dr. B. B. Dey, D.Sc. (Lond.), F.R.I.C.
 Offtg. Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

The Secretary to Government,
 Education and Public Health Department.

Sir,
 Sub: Government Training School, Mettur - Middle School
 Conversion into a High School.

With reference to the Government Memo. No. 31119-
 B/45-1 Edn., dated 16-7-45, I have the honour to submit below
 a proposal for raising the Middle School attached to the
 Government Training School for masters at Mettur to the
 status of a High School from 1946-47.

Mettur is a colony of Government servants lying
 in the interior. No management is coming forward to open
 a High School there. The nearest High School is at Salem
 reported to be 32 miles away or at Bhavani 27 miles away.
 The children of Government servants have no facilities
 for High School Education. The Township Committee is not
 financially sound to run a high school at present. The
 Government will therefore have to take the responsibility
 for running a school for the sake of the children of the
 Government officers. The Middle School now provides for the
 Secondary Education of girls also. Having regard to the
 special circumstances explained above I consider that the
 case of Mettur deserves to be treated as an exception to
 the policy of the Government in regard to the opening of
 Secondary Schools. I, therefore, recommend sanction for
 the opening of higher forms in the Government Training School
 Mettur beginning with Form IV in 1946-47 and Forms V and VI
 to be opened in each succeeding year.

There is no accommodation in the training
 school for the proposed higher forms. At present a few
 sections are located in an old defunct Elementary School
 building nearby. The Divisional Inspector reports that
 there is ample space adjacent to the Training School
 and that a shed with 6 class-rooms at a cost of Rs. 3,000
 should be constructed. He states that the Public Works
 Department at Mettur have agreed to expedite the cons-
 truction. The proposal involves employment of 1 L.T. Assis-
 tant for each higher form, 1 Tamil Pandit and 1 Laborer
 peon and expenditure on furniture and other equipment as
 shown below:

The probable strength of Form IV in 1946-47
 will be 40. The probable fee income in each year will
 be as follows:-

1946-1947	(Form IV)	Rs. 1,500
1947-1948	(IV and V Forms)	Rs. 3,000
1948-1949	(Form IV - Form VI)	Rs. 4,500

Ultimate fee-income ... = Rs. 4,500/- a year

5. The cost

5. The cost of the proposal will be as follows:-

Cost in 1946-1947:

Recurring:

<u>Staff:</u>	1 L.T. Assistant for IV form	Rs. 70 x 9 months	Rs. 630
	1 Pandit	Rs. 35 x 9	Rs. 315
			945

Non-recurring:

Shed	Rs. 3,000	
Furniture etc.	Rs. 4,500	
	3,750	7,500
	<u>Total</u>	8,445 or 8,400 in round figures.
	15000	

Extra cost in 1947-1948:

Recurring:

<u>Staff:</u>	1 L.T. Assistant for V form	Rs. 70 x 9	Rs. 630
	1 Laboratory Peon	Rs. 12 x 9	108
			738

Non-recurring: Furniture etc.

	3,750	
<u>Total</u>	4,488 or 4,500 in round figures.	

Extra cost in 1948-49:

<u>Recurring:</u>	<u>Staff:</u> 1 L.T. Assistant for VI form	Rs. 70 x 9	Rs. 630
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<u>Non-recurring:</u>	Furniture etc.	3,750	
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<u>Total</u>	Rs. 4,380 or Rs. 4,400 in round figures.	
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Ultimate cost:

Average pay of 3 L.T. Assistants in the combined cadre of School Assistants on Rs. 70-10/2-130; 140-15/2-200

Average pay on Pandit on Rs. 35-4/2-43-2/2-45

Average pay of Peon on Rs. 12-17

Furniture, books, Laboratory articles repairs etc.

<u>Total</u>	Rs. 5,964 or Rs. 6,000 in round figures.	
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6. I am including the necessary provision in Part II of the Budget Estimate for 1946-47.

T. Sanyal
for Director of Public Instruction.

T.M.

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Expt (D)

From: The Assistant Secretary to Govt. Dept.

To: The Deputy D.P.O.

Ref. Director's letter No 234-A/44 dated 26.9.45 regarding conversion of the Govt Middle School, Melting into a high school

The letter from the General Supt. Operating Systems no 5816/45 dated 22.3.45 forwarded with Govt memo no 3119-13/45 dated 16.7.45 has not been returned with the Director's reply. Please arrange for its dispatch. return

29-9-45

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Issued
28/9/45
1/10/45

Date 194, Hours Minutes

TELEPHONIC MESSAGE

From *Asst. Sec.* To *D. P.*
Ex r P.H.

Ret. Of letter R.C no. 234-A/₄₄
d 26-9-45 re- Conversion
of the Govt Middle Schls
Mettur into a High Schl.
The letter from the general
Supt. operating section
no. 581 B/₄₅ d 22-3-45
forwarded with G.O. Memo
no 31119 B/₄₅ d 16-7-45
has not been written
returned with the reply
I have arrange for its
return.

1-10-45

WHERE COMPUSSION WAS IN
FORCE DURING 1938-39.

Names of Lepalcities.	Number of children of school-age.	Number of children of school-age under instruction.	Number of children of school-age not under instruction.	Remarks.
1 Vizagapatam ..	2,597	2,463	434	1937-38 figures.
2 Ellore ..	3,485	3,308	177	1937-38 figures.
3 Rajahmundry ..	4,276	3,461	825	1937-38 figures.
4 Masulipatam ..	3,926	3,379	547	1937-38 figures.
5 Hospet ..	1,794	1,268	526	..
6 Proddatur ..	2,062	1,182	880	..
7 Hindupur ..	1,567	1,126	441	..
8 Nellore ..	3,029	2,849	180	..
9 Madras Corporation ..	43,391	37,538	5,953	..
10 Chingleput ..	1,104	1,024	80	..
11 Conjeeveram ..	3,684	3,206	428	..
12 Velore ..	4,527	3,778	749	1937-38 figures.
13 Kumbakonam ..	4,144	3,661	483	..
14 Negapatam ..	2,849	2,626	223	..
15 Mayavaram ..	2,084	2,015	69	..
16 Madura ..	5,045	4,708	342	1937-38 figures.
17 Dindigul ..	3,106	2,865	251	1937-38 figures.
18 Virudunagar ..	2,419	2,228	191	..
19 Erode ..	2,907	2,674	233	..
20 Coimbatore ..	8,180	6,773	1,357	..
21 Tiruppur ..	2,183	2,017	166	..
22 Tirunelveli ..	3,801	3,485	316	..
23 Cochin—				1937-38 figures.
Mappila ..	424	390	34	..
Non-Mappila ..	1,296	1,283	13	..
24 Calicut—				1937-38 figures.
Mappila ..	2,730	2,603	127	..
Non-Mappila ..	5,180	4,993	137	..
25 Tellicherry—				..
Mappila ..	990	989	51	..
Non-Mappila ..	1,422	1,378	44	..
26 Bezwada ..	4,518	3,205	1,223	1937-38 figures.
27 Salem ..	698	685	13	Only in 4 wards.
28 Cochin—				Introduced on 1st April 1938—
Mappila ..	..	..	..	Figures not available.
1 Erode ..	1,645	1,402	243	..
2 Coimbatore ..	7,074	4,166	2,918	..
3 Cochin ..	1,327	857	470	..
4 Madras Corporation ..	26,983	21,429	5,564	..
5 Madura ..	421	405	16	1937-38 (some wards).
6 Salem ..	521	478	43	1937-38 (some wards).
7 Cochin ..	..	..	..	Introduced from 1st April 1938—
Mappila ..	..	..	..	Figures not available.

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N.R.C. No. 234 A/44 dated 3-10-45

To
The Asst. Secretary,
Edn. & Pub. Health Dept.,
Fort St. George, Madras.

The enclosures referred
to in your letter of 3-10-45
are herewith submitted.

7. Krishna Narayan
3/10/45
For Director of Public Instruction.
2/10/45

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.

From
Sri Rao Sahib A.R. Narayana Rao,
B.E., Mech., A.M.I.E.E.,
Superintending Engineer,
Mettur Electricity System,
Mettur Dam.

To
The Director of Public
Instruction,
Madras.
Thro'
The General Superintendent,
Operating Systems,
Madras.



R.No. 4608 , dated 12--2--1946.

Sir,

Sub:-- Schools -- Government Middle school, Mettur --
Conversion into a High School.

In our letter dated 4th June 1945 we had requested that the Elementary School here should be converted into a full blown High School. This year it has been converted into only Middle School. It is yet to be converted into a High School. Government in their Memorandum No. 31119-B/45-1, dated 16th July 1945 have stated that the addition of High School forms involves a question of policy and that the matter has been referred to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras.

We are all temporary residents here liable for transfer to any place and as long as we are here we must consider the education of our children and for that the opening of High School is necessary. Besides ourselves, there are our own labourers and others too who would wish to give their children education in the higher forms. But they too are not able to do so because of the want of a High School. Even though we may not be able to be here, that certain officers will have to be here is settled. For their children also, the high school is necessary. None of us are in a position to start a High School and run it either because we may not be permanent here or we have not the capacity. We understand that the middle school at present has about 150 pupils both boys and girls. Even though with considerable difficulty we may be able to send our boys outside for high school education, the question of girls will have to be considered. Of the 150 students here about 60 are girls. If Government do not open a high school both boys and girls education will suffer a great deal. From the departmental point of view also officers do not generally desire to stay here because they have no facilities for the education of their children. If the different departments such as Public Works Dept., Revenue, Postal, etc., etc., have to do their work more efficiently a high school is quite necessary. For the labourers children also a high school with a bifurcated course for vocational training is necessary. To enable us to make arrangements for our childrens' education next year, we would like to be assured about the starting of the high school forms here next year sufficiently early.

R+PH (B)

This is only a copy of the letter addressed to the D.P.G. The D.P.G. will give a reply to the S.E., Mettur Electricity System, Mettur Dam.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER.

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EDUCATION AND PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

PART II SCHEME FOR 1946-47.

[SUBJECT.—Conversion of the Government Middle School at Mettur into a High School.]

Summary.

Head of account.	Item of expenditure.	Ultimate cost.		Cost in 1946-47.	
		Recurring.	Non-recurring.	Recurring.	Non-recurring.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
37. m. Education—Special— Government special schools— a. Training schools—Masters.	Three L.T. Assistants on Rs. 70—200 (average Rs. 119.2).	4,291	..	630	..
1. Pay and allowances of esta- blishments—Authorised.	One Pandit on Rs. 35—45 (average 41-1/9).	497	..	315	..
	One Laboratory peon on Rs. 12—17 (average 14.7).	176	..	306	..
	Dearness allowance	1,164	3,300	..	3,000
	Petty construction and repairs (construction of shed)	..	12,000	..	4,500
	Furniture	1,000	..	..	..
	Books, laboratory articles, etc.	..	..	1,251 or 1,300 in round figures.	7,500
	Total ..	7,128 or 7,100 in round figures.	15,000	1,500	..
XXVI. Education—B. Secon- dary—A. Fees—Government Secondary schools.		4,500	..	1,500	..
	Net cost to Government ..	2,600	15,000	Nil.	7,500

There is a Government Middle School attached to the Government Training School for Masters at Mettur. The middle school was a model school consisting of five standards until 1941, when an addition of three higher standards, in progressive stages, was sanctioned; it became a complete higher elementary school in July

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1943. Standards VI to VIII were converted into Forms I to III from the beginning of the school year 1945-46 to provide adequate education to the children of officials and other pupils desirous of secondary education.

2. The Director of Public Instruction now proposes the conversion of the middle school into a high school for the following reasons:—

"Mettur is a colony of Government servants lying in the interior. The existing middle school provides for secondary education of boys and girls. There are no facilities for high school education. The nearest high school is at Salem 32 miles away or at Bhavani 27 miles away. The township committee is not financially sound to run a high school at present. No private management is coming forward to open a high school. The Government will, therefore, have to take the responsibility for running a high school for the sake of the children of the Government officers."

He therefore recommends that Form IV may be opened in 1946-47 and Forms V and VI in each succeeding year.

3. The normal policy is for the Government to leave the field of secondary education, as far as possible for private enterprise and to open secondary schools under departmental management only where they are needed for Muslim boys and for girls (all communities). This department, however, accepts the Director's recommendation on the special grounds mentioned above. It is anticipated that the fee income would amount to Rs. 4,500 per annum. As there is no accommodation in the training school for the higher forms, it is proposed to construct a shed with six class rooms adjacent to the existing school at a cost of Rs. 3,000.

4. The ultimate net extra cost involved in the proposal is Rs. 2,600 recurring and Rs. 15,000 non-recurring, while the additional expenditure in 1946-47 will be Rs. 7,500 non-recurring, details of which are given in the summary. This department recommends that this amount may be provided in the budget for 1946-47.

M. V. SUBBAYANIAN—5-11-45.

C No 31119 B1/45.

SCHOOLS - Conversion of the Government Middle

at Mettur into a High School - Approved.

Read:

G.O.No.528 Edn., dated 5--4--41.

G.O.No.639 Edn., dated 22--3--45.

From the General Superintendent, Operating Systems, Chepauk, Madras, No.581-A/45-1 dated 22--3--45.

From the Director of Public Instruction, R.C.No. 234-A/44 dated the 26th September 1945.

ORDER MS.NO. 693 EDN., dated 1/4/1946.

The Government approve the proposal of the Director of Public Instruction that the Government Middle School attached to the Government Training School, Mettur, may be converted into a high school and that Form IV may be opened in 1946-47 and Forms V and VI in 1947-48 and 1948-49 respectively.

2. Sanction is accorded for the employment of the following staff on the usual scales of pay and allowances:—

1946-47.

1 L.T. Assistant and 1 Pandit.

1947-48.

1 L.T. Assistant.

1 Laboratory Peon.

1948-49.

1 L.T. Assistant.

The staff employed in 1946-47 will be on a

temporary

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temporary basis for a period of three years and the rest for two years and one year, as the case may be, ending with the school year 1948-49.

3. The Director of Public Instruction is informed that necessary provision has been made in the Detailed Annual Estimate of Expenditure for 1946-47 for the construction of a shed to provide accommodation for the higher forms and for the purchase of furniture, books, laboratory articles, etc.

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To
The D.P.I. ✓
The A.G. thro' Fin ✓
The Genl. Supdt.,
Operating Systems,
Chepauk, Madras,
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Notes

E & P.H. Dept

Schools - Govt Middle School, Mettur - Conversion into a high school
Part II scheme for 1946-47

C.No 31119/45 From the D.P.I. R.C.No 234-A/44 dated 26-9-45

The D.P.I. has submitted proposals for raising the Middle School attached to the Govt Training School for masters at Mettur into a high school from 1946-47.

2. The normal policy is for the Govt to leave the field of secondary education, as far as possible, for private enterprise

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and to open secondary schools under departmental management only

where they are needed for Muslim boys and for girls (all communities)

Mettur is a colony of Govt officials living in the interior. As

no private agency was coming forwards to open a secondary school

to provide adequate educational facilities for the children of the

numerous families in the Mettur area, the Govt sanctioned the

conversion of standards VI to VIII of the model attached to the

Training school into Forms 1 to III from the beginning of the current

school year. For the same reason, the D.P.I. recommends that the

middle school may be raised to the status of a high school by

adding Form IV in 1946-47 and forms V & VI in succeeding years.

In the circumstances stated by the D.P.I., the case of Mettur may

be treated as an exception to the general policy as recommended by

him. The cost recurring and non-recurring involved in the proposal

is shown on page 2 C.F. The proposal may be put forward as a part

II scheme for 1945-46.

The remarks of Finance may be invited u.o.

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Part II scheme for 467

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E.&P.H. department recommend the proposal of the D.P.I. to



convert the Government Middle School, Mottur into a High School with Form IV in 1946-47 and Form V and VI in each succeeding years. The proposal involves an extra cost of Rs.7,000/- per annum recurring and Rs.15,000/- non-recurring ^{construction of} on shed and ^{supplying} furniture, while the estimate Fee income is Rs.4,500/- a year.

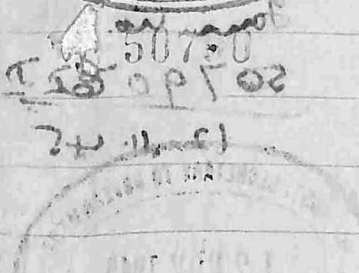
The D.P.I. has stated that the nearest High School is 27 miles away that no management is coming forward to open a High School there and that the finance of Mottur township committee are not sound to run a school. Please see the late Deputy Secretary's note on page 17 c.f. of G.O. 528 Education, dated 5-4-41. (The estimated Fee income ^{will also} cannot cover the cost)

The policy of Government is to ~~leave~~ leave the field of secondary education for boys as far as possible in the hands of private ^{agencies} enterprise and to open secondary schools under Government management if the schools are needed for Muslim boys and for girls (all communities). Attention is solicited to this department's note on pages 3-4 N.F. of (P). (There are several industries situated at Mottur and it is not stated whether any of the industrial ~~managers~~ are willing to run the private High School. E.&P.H. department may be requested to explore this possibility further.)

If however, it is decided to run a Government High School at Mottur, E.&P.H. may be requested to prepare the necessary note on the scheme.

The staff may be sanctioned temporarily for a period of 3 years in the first instance, the first L.T. assistant being employed in 1946-47, the second one from 1947-48 and the third from 1948-49. ^{As may see} ^{HR} ^{D.S.} ^{20.10.45}

The population is only 8670. But for the fact that there are some Govt servants (probably about 100 or less) stationed at the place, there would not be any question at all of opening a High School here. The fact that there are some Govt servants should not make any difference. The matter may be left to private enterprise. ^{HR} ^{23.10.45}



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Mottur Township is in financial straits - there is no private enterprise in the educational field. The D.P.I.'s proposal may be accepted. ^{HR} ^{25.10.45} ^{NY} ^{20/10/45}



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A draft Part II scheme note is submitted below for approval. It may be sent to Finance for acceptance. ^{HR} ^{21/11/45} ^{NY} ^{20/10/45}

Finance 2.

Please see previous Finance note on page 2 above and orders in circulation on page 3 above.

The draft note on the part II scheme may be accepted. Subject to the slight alterations indicated in pencil in the statement in the Summary and para 4 of the draft.

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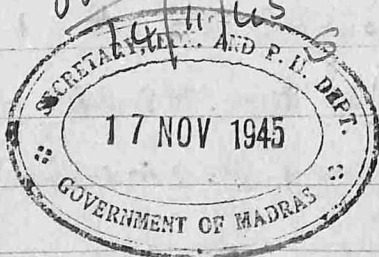
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The alterations indicated in pencil may be accepted. The file may be circulated to A2 and A1.

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A draft order is submitted below for approval.

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[Previous Finance notes are at 'A' above]
The draft order may be accepted.



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